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Dr. Jones Begins 25th Year at NWMSC

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of Northwest Missouri State College, has entered his 25th year of service at the college. He has been president since December, 1946.

Originally from Indiana, Dr. Jones came to NWMSC to assume the post of dean of the faculty under the late Dr. Uel Lamkin.

Dr. Jones, who is the sixth president of the college, started as a teacher in a rural, single room school in Illinois in 1912. Since then he has held numerous teaching and administrative positions. He also served as an ensign in the U. S. Navy during World War I.

The enrollment, which has been above the 2,200 mark, is several times greater than the listing when Dr. Jones became president. With the starting of 25th year, the enrollment is expected to hit the 2,500 mark this fall. The physical facilities have been expanded three-fold during the same period.

Air-Conditioning Being Installed In Union Building

Workmen should have the newly acquired air-conditioning unit installed and in operation in the Union building by the time school opens in the fall.

The \$147,000 unit will eliminate a great proportion of the humidity, especially in the kitchen areas. The entire building will benefit by this new addition to the facilities.

Interstate Heating and Plumbing of Kansas City are in charge of the installation.

Gym Nears Completion

Lamkin gymnasium is near completion according to Dr. H. D. Peterson, head of the Physical Education Department.

Ventilation is the word. The gymnasium has acquired a new fresh air ventilation system, which will circulate the air in the gymnasium and draw in fresh air.

The new indoor track will be completed by this coming fall semester. The asphalt track will accommodate everything but the shot-put and pole-vault events.

Northwest Missouri State College's mat grapplers will enjoy the new wrestling room which is adjacent to the track. Also handball enthusiasts will enjoy new handball courts in this area.

The gymnasium basement will also contain a pitching mound, batting cage, and golf driving cage.

Along the physical education activity line, new lockers are being installed.

Mrs. Sayler Rites Today

The students and faculty of NWMSC wish to extend their deepest sympathy to the family of Norvel Sayler upon the recent death of Mrs. Sayler.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p. m. today at the Methodist Church.

NOTICE

All students planning to graduate at the close of the summer session must file an application for a degree in the registrar's office immediately if they have not already done so.

R. P. Foster

Placement Tests Given at NWMSC

Placement tests for students who plan to enroll at Northwest Missouri State College were given Saturday, June 16, 1962, at Colden Hall.

158 took the tests Saturday, according to Dr. Robert Foster, dean of administration.

The placement tests are for students who are entering college as freshmen and who have not previously attended college.

Dr. Foster said the placement tests will be given again on three Saturday mornings this summer. The dates for these tests are June 30, July 14, and July 28.

Any freshman student who plans to attend the University of Missouri, St. Joseph Junior College, or Northwest State College this fall should take these tests.

All tests are given from 9 to 12 noon. Those taking the tests should be present by 8:45 a. m. on the test dates.

Librarian Retires After 18 Years Of Service

Mrs. Hubert Garrett, Librarian, has left NWMSC after 18 years of service at the circulation desk. She was married to the late Hubert Garrett of the social science department. The couple came to Maryville from Nebraska in 1944.

A member of the Methodist church, Mrs. Garrett has also actively participated in the Wesley Guild, Dames Club, and Business and Professional Women.

After visiting her daughter's family in Pennsylvania, the retired librarian plans to take a camping trip through the New England states.

Trip Scheduled to 'The Music Man'

Anyone for the Starlight Theater? All students are invited to attend "The Music Man" on June 29. A special bus will leave at 4:00 from NWMSC and the total cost of ticket and transportation is \$3.75. The only other cost would be food; each student will have to pay for his meal. Don't forget—June 29. The bus will be loading by the east door of the Ad Building.



Mr. Jennings Flather Speaking During Teachers Assembly

N.E.A. Sponsors Professional Day

Jennings Flather, NEA consultant, was the main speaker for the Professional day held at NWMSC June 21.

Flathers was a former South Central Regional director. He taught speech and dramatics at an Amarillo, Texas, high school before joining the NEA staff. Mr. Flather is presently located in Washington, D. C.

The Professional Day was sponsored by the Department of Classroom Teachers, NEA. Mrs. Agnes Knepper, Tarkio, president of the Northwest Missouri District Classroom Teachers, was the presiding officer.

The main purposes for the Department of Classroom Teachers are to work for improved educational opportunities for children and to acquaint the public with our educational.

This department also encourages teachers to participate in educational policies and to assume their responsibilities as citizens and teachers.

'Broadway Production' Homecoming Theme

"Broadway Productions" is the theme for next year's homecoming. Plays, motion picture productions and Broadway hit songs are included in this theme.

The prizes and awards have been changed this year. The variety show prizes, still in two divisions, have been raised; first place prize from \$25 to \$40, second \$20 to \$30, third \$15 to \$25, honorable mention up to \$10.

Separate divisions will be carried out in the beauty and humor floats. There will be only three divisions in the jolly divisions because of the notably decreased participation.

In general, there will be more prize money, along with a double set of trophies.

A doctor declares that kissing shortens life. I suppose he means single life.—Passing Show.

New Faculty Appointments Announced

Richard A. Hart's duties as a biology instructor will begin with the fall semester. He received his master's degree from the University of Missouri.

Mr. Hart is married and has one child.

Frank Ditto, Herrin, Ill., has been appointed as an instructor in the social science department.

He received his BS degree at the Southern Illinois University and received his MA degree at the Ohio University where he has been a graduate assistant.

John H. Herzig's duties start as an instructor in the business department in September.

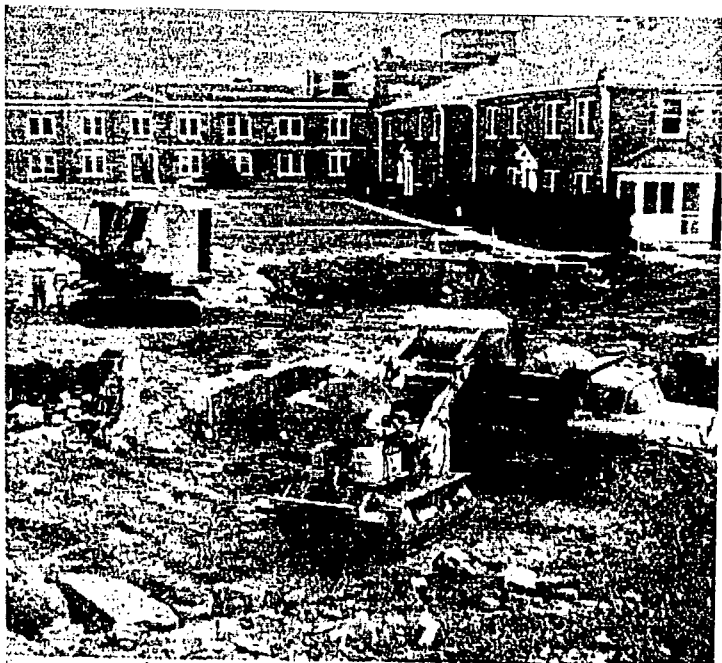
Mr. Herzig has a BS degree in business administration and a MA degree in business management. Both degrees are from the University of Missouri. Mr. Herzig is married and plans to move to Maryville this fall.

Missouri Textbook Men's Association to Exhibit Books

Missouri Text Book Men's Association will have an exhibit Monday and Tuesday, July 8 and 9, in the student and faculty lounges of the classroom building.

This exhibit is primarily for teachers, in order to show them what is available in text books and school supplies, but anyone who is interested may see it.

Some companies to be represented: Macmillan Co., Kansas City Audio Visual, Scott Foresman and Co., Ginn and Co., as well as others.



This is the site of the new boys' quad which will hold approximately 360 or more men.

Both this and a new girl's dorm are expected to be done in the fall of 1963.

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Play It Cool—Be Courteous

This hot weather indicates that summer is here to stay and even though it is hot and uncomfortable, common courtesies should not be forgotten.

Most people are at fault when it comes to waiting their turn. In the Den or Cafeteria, there is a place where the line forms, but often people let their friends in front of them forcing the line backward rather than forward.

What about the poor soul who has no friends present. Must he always head up the rear?

When the bells ring there is a mad dash to the doors. Unfortunately, this is a place where the strongest survive. Instead of tripping the person nearest, people should lend a hand and pick their fellow students up.

In the library, books may be checked out for two weeks if they are not on reserve. Some people still persist in taking them out without signing for them. This is a selfish and inconsiderate attitude.

A person finds it difficult to study when interrupted by numerous shrill screams in the dorms. The residence halls are not fun houses!

If everyone would respect the rights of others, then the Golden Rule would be effectively in us.

They're Talking About---

Dean Koerble and his bicycle—getting turned around in Colden Hall—lines at lunch—the old life in the den—coffee lines at 7 a.m.—tennis club—fear of water—aching wrist muscles—bets on who'll get the axe—Cadillacs in the P.E. department—the water at Johnson's Trailer Court—Dr. Bragdon attending a Crosby Kemper Republican rally—furniture movers at four in the morning—the traveling cataloguer—shirts are in—overblouses and louses are out—

A certain pinned girl checking Vets Village—flunk-outs and probation students from last semester—flood in the old den—the teacher who enjoys bragging about how many students he flunked—commuters using car breakdown for absences—the professors' daughters working behind the snack bar—roving cash-registers and correct change.

Count Down

It's a Woman's World

The gentleman, or perhaps it was a woman, who penned the popular song of a couple of seasons past, "Woman's World," surely must have had summer school at NWMSC in mind.

The latest enrollment figures total 471 women undergraduates and 309 men. It is quite evident that the "weaker" sex are in the majority.

With so many alumnae returning to their old stomping grounds, the usual male superiority is in the decline. So . . . "Women arise!"

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Marie De Ford Feurt—St. Joseph



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Leo R. Bangs—Modale, Iowa

"When I first started coaching, my girl basketball players couldn't get into their uniforms."



Marian Everhart, Skidmore, Mo.

After the first day of school one little boy went home and told his mother that I had blond hair (red), blue eyes (green), and a polka-dot nose (freckles).



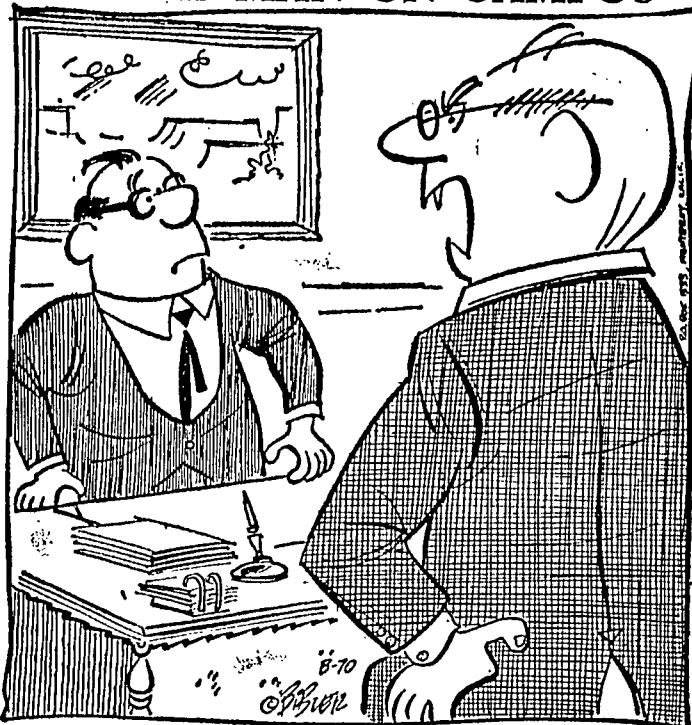
Helen Ritchie—St. Joseph

A little fellow sincerely ask, "My momma is going to go to grandma's this week. Would you come and cook for daddy and me?"

Chet—What the deuce are you moping about?

Bob—Oh, don't bother me. "Come on, tell me." "I just lost a good top coat." "Don't you remember where you left it?" "I didn't leave it anywhere." "Then how did you lose it?" "My roommate recognized it."—Boston Beanpot.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"I'M SURPRISED THAT THE QUALITY OF MY INSTRUCTION HAS BEEN QUESTIONED, DEAN—WHY IT'S COMMON KNOWLEDGE THAT I FLUNK FROM 50 TO 90 PER CENT OF MY STUDENTS EACH TERM."



Grades! Grades! Grades! The stroller feels she is an authority on this subject, since so many teachers are on campus as students. However these are teacher students, not student teachers. After careful observation the stroller feels that three questions are in order.

First—What is the measure of a good teacher. How many he flunks or how many learn the subject?

Although most teachers feel the latter answer is correct, some seem to feel the first answer is the better. Since we have so many students on probation and flunking-out, the stroller feels a possible reevaluation of some grading practices might be in order.

Second—Should a teacher spend time gabbing about how many students he has flunked? The sensible answer should be no, but of course, not everybody is sensible.

Couldn't some teachers spend more time evaluating themselves as instructors and learned people, rather than spending time making nebulous prattle over a cup of coffee. Coffee, Pope tells us, makes the politicians wise, but does it have that effect on teachers?

Third question: How many experienced teachers returning for summer school will

have reason to reevaluate their grading habits?

This may not occur until the boom is lowered in a number of classes. How then will these learned people react to some of our professors? The stroller feels the consequences may do considerable damage to a number of very good teachers.

How will this affect our school's rating as an institute of higher learning?

Faculty Briefs

Miss Ruth M. Miller, supervising teacher of music, is attending the summer session at the University of Kansas City. She plans to take an additional workshop elsewhere.

Robert Eckles, business, has accepted a position at the Southern Illinois University, Carbondale. He will be leaving at the end of the summer session.

Mrs. Hubert Garrett Library, was honored by members of the library staff at Armstrong's Restaurant Sunday, June 17. Members of the library staff and Dr. J. W. Jones, president, and Mrs. Jones attended.

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Alumni Notes

Miss Eva Lea Hess, a graduate of NWMSC, left from New York for a six weeks tour of Europe. Miss Hess is also a graduate of the Skidmore school.

She taught the past year at the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, where she joined friends to leave for New York.

A former graduate of NWMSC, Bob Rowlette, is now on the teaching staff of the English department at the Cincinnati University. He will teach American literature during the summer session.

Mr. Rowlette did graduate work at Boulder, Colorado, and at the University in Lawrence, Kansas, before going to Cincinnati.

Mrs. Rowlette, also a graduate of NWMSC, is taking graduate work in home economics.

A 1937 NWMSC graduate, Victor Lawrence Knepper, has been awarded a master of arts in education degree from the Washington University in St. Louis.

William Henry Moore, a 1950 graduate of NWMSC, was awarded a master of arts degree from Washington University, St. Louis.

Faculty Briefs

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Everett Brown, director of field services, has returned home after spending several days in Los Angeles, Calif., attending the 53rd annual convention of Rotary International, which began June 3.

Mrs. Dorothy Walker, physical education, is attending Washington University in St. Louis this summer. Mrs. Walker plans to take a trip to Virginia in August following the summer session.

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Jean Lutze

Co-ed Prepares To Teach Deaf

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On our own campus is a student who has had numerous experience with persons of such a world. Jean Lutze, 22 year old co-ed, has worked with the deaf for five years.

She first became interested in them through her brother, Jim, who is deprived of his hearing. By the age of six she had learned to use sign language as everyone in her family does.

Jean visited her brother several times at The School for the Deaf in Fulton, Missouri. In 1957, fresh out of high school, she went to Fulton to work.

For three years she supervised the dormitory for girls from age four through seven. These youngsters were very happy to have a director who could understand them.

During her fourth year, Jean did substitute teaching and supervised first through preparatory grades. She helped

Do Finals Count Too Much?

The following proposal calling for the de-emphasis of final exams was up recently for consideration before the College Council of the American University. Final exams will count no more than one-third of the student's final grade; students of superior ability will be exempt from taking final exams; a recess of no less than four days (including a week-end) will be held between the last day of classes and the first day of exams.

Proponents for adoption point out that under present regulations, many final exams constitute one-half or more of the student's final grade; few students are exempt from exams; and a week-end is the only delay between the conclusion of classes and the beginning of exams.

Dr. Anna Painter Dies in New York

Dr. Anna Painter, who was head of the Northwest Missouri State College English department for 25 years, died in a hospital in Gowanda, N. Y. 1962 it has been learned. She recently suffered a stroke.

Dr. Painter retired from the NWMSC post in 1947.

ed these children enlarge their vocabularies.

Through her experience and ability to work with the deaf, Jean was permitted to teach the first grade during her fifth year at Fulton. This is equivalent to third or fourth grade work in a public school and special permission had to be granted to her by Herbert Wheeler, Commissioner of Education in Missouri.

In order to better qualify herself for teaching, Jean decided to come to college. She plans to take two years of general courses for Elementary education, and then two years of training in teaching techniques at a special school for the deaf.



Miss Linda Jones was recently elected Dorm Council president of Roberta Hall. She will hold this position during the summer session.

1961 Books on Display in Library

"Books on Exhibit," a collection of books for kindergarten through high school, is now on display in room 2 at Wells Library. The books are all copyrighted 1961.

Anyone interested in seeing the books is urged to do so. The room is open from 8:00 a. m. till 4:00 p.m. The separate exhibit will be there until June 29. Catalogs containing bibliographies of the books on exhibit will be given out.

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Kay Taylor to Larry Davis
Barry Parks to Brady Reynolds

Linda Todd to Ernest Hester Jr.

Betty Jo Brand to Walter Bruce Cobb

Joyce Ann Mayfield to Kenneth Dean James

Lost and Found

Have you lost anything lately?

The lost and found department is located in the Business Office in the Administration building.

Things found in the library are taken to the circulation desk and kept for a few days, then taken to the Ad. building.

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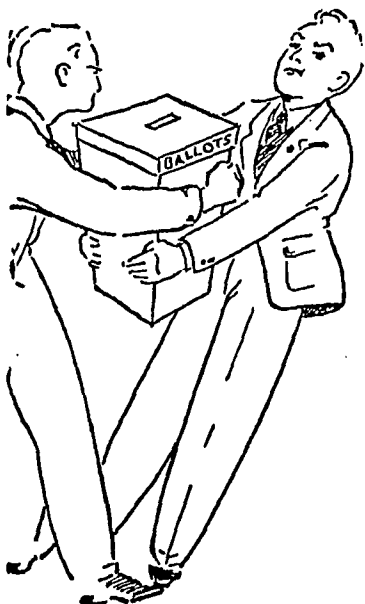
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Chalk Talk . . . Bob Cobb

When the NWMSC eleven takes the gridiron next fall for the 1962 football season, a certain element of class will be missing. In this case, the missing virtue will have belonded to the late Don Soper.

If a single term was used in describing the former St. Joe athlete and student, "class" would have to be it. Add intelligence, confidence, determination, and leadership to this description and you have quite a guy; this also was Don Soper.

On the gridiron, on the campus, and in the classrooms of NWMSC, Don Soper made his presence greatly felt through his numerous contributions.

The lad who bore the number 61 for the green and white was, because of stature, shunned by "big-time" football schools after being selected to the Missouri All-State football squad, while playing for Christian Brothers of St. Joseph, but he found a place on the Bearcat team coached by Earl Baker.

Although small in size for a college lineman (5' 10" - 165 lb.), Don displayed athletic ability and versatility by filling three positions for the Bearcats.

Football was Don's first love, according to his father, but he found time to volunteer his service for NWMSC in many ways. The sophomore class, Student Senate, Union Board, Phi Sigma Epsilon all benefitted by his devoted efforts. Shortly before his untimely death, he had been named to Blue Key, an honor which he richly deserved.

Possessed by the desire to excell, Don Soper did everything just the way he played football; with class, spirit, and determination.

Last Tuesday we sadly said farewell to a courageous, skilled athlete, an accomplished leader, a devoted brother, and and most dearly of all, a fine friend—Don Soper.



Students See Action In Loop Play

The Maryville Men's Softball League is now in full swing. Many college students are participating in this city recreational activity.

Results of some recent games include:

Dempsey-Hardin lost to Kindle Standard by a 19-7 score. Maryville Shoe rapped Robertson's Barbers with a 16-2 tally.

Home runs for the Maryville Shoe outfit were hit by Menarich, Reeves, Clark and Whitaker. McDaniel was the winning pitcher.

Sports fans interested in seeing some real softball action can find it at the loop games, Tuesday evenings, at Beal park.

Film Previews

Today's Need in Arithmetic and The River, showing June 28 at 7:00 p.m. in room 2, will be the third preview of the four annual summer film preview series sponsored by the IBM department.

Admission to the films is free and everyone is invited to attend.

Other films will be reviewed July 5, 12, 19, and 26. These dates, along with titles of the films to be shown, will be posted on the bulletin board in the library.

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Attend Soper's Funeral

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of NWMSC; Herbert Dieterich, sponsor of Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity; Everett W. Brown, director of field services; Mrs. Faye Sherman, house mother; Dr. C. E. Koerble, Robert Gregory, and Burton Richey, members of the physical education department attended the funeral services for Donald Soper, Tuesday, June 19.

Swimming Clinic Held at Creston

Mr. Guy Bensusan of the Humanities Department, who is also coach of the Maryville swimming team, was in charge of a clinic on competitive swimming Thursday afternoon at the Creston, Iowa pool.

Bob McCoy, assistant coach, and members of the team also attended the clinic.

Men's City Softball Schedule Through July 1

Friday, June 29—7:30 Maitland Plumbers vs. Robertson Barbers
9:00 Trimble Conoco vs. Dempsey-Hardin Oil

Tuesday, July 3—7:30 Robertson Barbers vs. Dempsey-Hardin Oil
9:00 Eddie's Market vs. Maitland Plumbers

Friday, July 6—7:30 Trimble Conoco vs. "Yokels"
9:00 Vawter Sales Co. vs. Kindle Standard

Tuesday, July 10—7:30 Maitland Plumbers vs. Vawter Sales
9:00 Trimble Conoco vs. Robertson Barbers

Friday, July 13—7:30 Kindle Standard vs. "Yokels"
9:00 Dempsey-Hardin Oil vs. Eddie's Market

IBM curriculum laboratory hours

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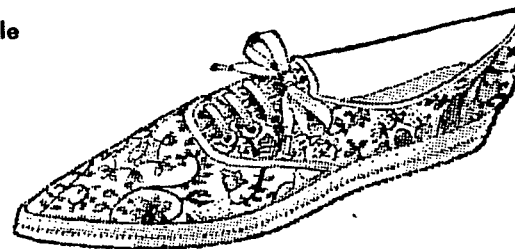
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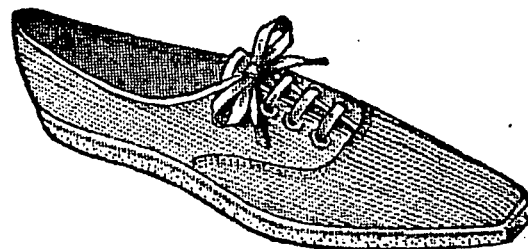
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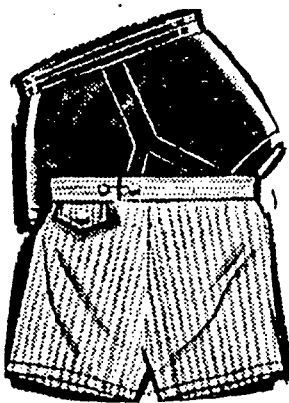
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